

SOIL SURVEY FOR JACKSON COUNTY OUT

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
MAKES REPORT ON CONDI-
TIONS IN IMPORTANT WEST
FLORIDA COUNTY — SHOWS
GOOD SOIL WITH GREAT POSSI-
BILITIES.

Special to the Journal.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The United States department of agriculture has just issued, through the bureau of soils, a report on the soil survey of the Marianna area, Florida. By law 200 copies of the report have been placed at the disposal of the representative in congress within whose district the area lies and 500 at the disposal of each of the senators from the state. The report contains a description of the area, its climate, agriculture and soils and is accompanied by a large map showing in colors the location and extent of the various soil types encountered. The following is a summary of the report:

"Jackson county is located in the northwestern part of Florida. The area surveyed covers the western half of the county and comprises about 658 square miles. The surface features are gently undulating to hilly, but no precipitous slopes exist.

"Jackson county was organized in 1822, and embraces 963 square miles. Marianna, the county seat, was incorporated in 1829. It has an estimated population of 1,800 or 2,000. The first settlers came from the Carolinas and Georgia, and were mostly of Scotch and of English descent. In 1905—according to the state census—the population of the county numbered 26,824.

"The size of the farms varies from forty to 2,500 acres. Farming is carried on mainly under the tenant system. The greater part of the agricultural land is well drained and under cultivation.

"Cotton and corn are the principal crops grown, with oats, sweet potatoes, sugar cane, and vegetables as minor products.

"Except near the towns, where prices are somewhat higher, the value of the farming lands ranges from \$3 to \$25 an acre, and there is yet plenty of good land on the market at reasonably low prices.

"Sixteen types of soil, including the non-agricultural types, swamp and rock outcrop, were recognized. These soils are similar to those found throughout the coastal plain, and belong to the established soil series of this physiographic province. Two new members, a loamy sand and a clay, were added to the recently established Greenville series, and one new member, a coarse sand, to the Orangeburg series.

"The soils are derived mainly from the Lafayette and Columbia formations, but are influenced in some cases by the underlying calcareous rocks.

"The soils consist chiefly of sands and sandy loams, and are grouped in the following series: The Orangeburg series, four members (coarse sand, fine sand coarse sandy loam, and fine sandy loam); the Norfolk series, five members (fine sandy loam, sandy loam, sand, fine sand, and coarse sand); and the Myatt series, one member (fine sandy loam). The Grady fine sandy loam is classed as a miscellaneous type.

"The sandy loams are well adapted

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to the general farm crops. The Greenville sandy loam is the heaviest, strongest, and most productive soil of the area. It is the most desirable soil for the growing of alfalfa, and wheat thrives well upon it. The sands are best suited to the light truck crops, and when within reach of markets they should be devoted to the production of such crops. The Greenville loamy sand is the most productive of the sandy type. The Norfolk sand is the most extensively developed soil type of the area.

"Swamp affords a valuable timber growth of cypress, gum, bay, pine and water oak. Rock outcrop areas are non-agricultural. The rock is used for building purposes and is valuable in some cases as a source of phosphoric acid.

"Under the present method of rental and cultivation the best lands of the area are yielding much smaller returns than they are capable of yielding. More attention should be given to their permanent upbuilding so as to increase the acreage yields. To accomplish this, the growing of leguminous crops, the rotation of crops, greater diversification of crops, deeper plowing, more thorough preparation and cultivation, and the use of improved farm machinery are recommended."

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O. V. GENTRY IS SENTENCED TO
SERVE SIX MONTHS OR PAY A
FINE OF \$50 FOR FORGERY.

After passing sentence on O. V. Gentry, charged with forgery, and hearing and disposing of the case of J. W. Mallory, charged with grand larceny, the criminal court of records, Judge E. D. Beggs presiding, adjourned yesterday for one week. Gentry is the young man whom Chief of Police Frank Sanders arrested several days ago charged with passing a bogus check on a local merchant. When his case was called Monday he entered a plea of not guilty. He received a fine of \$50 and costs or a jail sentence of six months.

Mallory was arraigned on the charge of stealing a suit case and a number of articles belonging to W. Kelley at the Bay hotel some time ago. He received a sentence of \$40 and costs or a six months sentence in jail.

Judge Beggs's court was to have tried Bob Matthews, the negro lynched yesterday, today, and his death leaves the docket clear for that day and court was adjourned one day earlier for the holidays.

TALLAHASSEE NEWS NOTES

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST
AND PERSONAL MENTION GATH-
ERED AT THE STATE CAPITAL.

Special to the Journal.
Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 21.—Trinity Methodist church was honored Sunday by the presence of Bishop Morrison, who preached both morning and evening to large congregations. The bishop, a man of distinguished appearance and with a voice of deep and sonorous quality, was earnest and eloquent and made a decidedly favorable impression upon his hearers. He also helped to raise the \$4,500 indebtedness upon the addition recently made to the church building. This addition necessitated the rearrangement of the interior of the church and enlarged its seating capacity by at least one-third. It also provides Sunday school rooms, vestry, mission room and parlors for receptions, etc. The readiness with which the deficiency was raised speaks well for the spirit of church pride and liberality prevailing among the members of Trinity congregation. After the evening service the bishop or- dained Rev. Burke Culpepper as deacon of the Methodist church. Mr. Culpepper having passed his two years as licentiate.

Thanksgiving will be appropriately observed in the Tallahassee churches. St. John's Episcopal and First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold their usual individual services, while the Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist congregations will unite to hear a sermon by Dr. J. B. Pruitt preached in the Presbyterian church.

Personal Mention.
Major H. L. Bethel, who has recently returned from a business trip to the western part of the state, reports a gratifying enthusiasm among the people concerning the proposed Broward monument, in the raising of funds for which Major Bethel is so wholeheartedly interested. He has received many offers of assistance in this work and the contributions are coming in steadily.

Miss Lella McFarlane, of Quincy, is the charming guest of Major and Mrs. H. L. Bethel at their delightful home on South Adams street. On her arrival Friday evening her hosts arranged for her a dinner party, at which the guests were Hon. and Mrs. Dexter M. Lowry, Miss Mary Whitfield, Dr. H. E. Palmer, Mr. Fred Hardee. On Saturday evening Miss McFarlane was guest of honor at a delightful bridge party at the Leon hotel, at which Governor Gilchrist was host.

Hon. B. A. Meginniss and bride returned late last night from their wedding trip. Mr. and Mrs. Meginniss were married last week at Gadsden, Ala., the home of the bride.

Unprofitable Smeanness. A London clothier was never known to acknowledge that he didn't have anything a possible customer might ask for. One day a customer entered the shop and asked if he had any trousers made especially for one-legged men.

"Certainly," replied the merchant. "What kind do you want?" "Dress pants," said the man, "the best you have got." Hurrying into the rear of the shop, the enterprising merchant snatched a pair of trousers and slipped off the right leg with a pair of shears. Hastily turning under the edges he presented them to the customer. "That's the kind I want; what's the price?" "Thirty shillings." "Well, give me a pair with the left leg off." A month later the clothier was pronounced convalescent and on the right road to recovery.—The Sacred Heart Review.

PROGRESSIVE SPIRIT HERE.
Applying these ideas to the local situation, Mr. Quarles said: "I don't know a town which has shown more activity recently than Pensacola for the improvement of its local conditions. No one can hear the story of your street improvements and the building of your beautiful hotel and office buildings without being struck with the progressive spirit of the town. I do believe, however, that with the exceptional advantages of location and climate Pensacola enjoys, and with the fine soil, pushing men that have the future of the city in their hands, the time has come when some of the energy that has been used for local improvements should be directed toward a wider publicity for this community. There are thousands of people in other parts of the country looking for just such opportunities as Pensacola offers. They should be told that there is a chance for them to make good here; that you have done your house-cleaning and are ready to receive them."

THE LARGER AD. MEDIUM.
"Your Chamber of Commerce is the logical medium through which any organized effort for progress should exert itself. President H. H. Thornton and Secretary G. A. Waterman should have the earnest support of every man in Pensacola in the work entrusted to them. This Chamber of Commerce work is a serious business and should be so regarded by every community."

Mr. Quarles pledges the support of the Southern Commercial Congress in any way by which it can be of help to Pensacola. Resolutions were passed by the recent waterway convention here endorsing the work of the congress, and the commercial bodies and the press of the south are hearty in their commendation of it. The purposes of the congress, broadly stated, are to arouse greater activity among the commercial organizations of the south, and to give national publicity to southern resources.

Secretary Quarles will be in the city several days longer. From here he will probably visit the East Coast of Florida. Mr. Quarles's work keeps him in the field the better part of the time, and he is thus in close touch



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Quarles Gives Timely Advice to Pensacola

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has made, or about its opportunities for future growth," said Mr. Quarles. "Your people know these things and appreciate them. Besides this, your paper has recently published interviews with a number of gentlemen who visited the city as speakers at the waterway convention, and they have given you the facts that naturally impress the visitor who is interested in progress. The Southern Commercial Congress, being a union of local commercial organizations, is naturally as much interested in what our southern cities have yet to do, as in what they have done, and if I have any one thing to say for the men of Pensacola to read, it is that cities do not grow, but are built."

TALK AWAY FROM HOME.
"The talk we are doing about our natural opportunities ought to be done where the people that don't live here can hear it. There is too much running across the hall and too much lying with our neighbor about our 'natural advantages,' and too little organized effort to build upon these opportunities. It is very pleasing to hear our towns extravagantly praised for the superiority of their natural advantages, and very comforting to sit and talk these over with the men across the street. But the truth is that we deserve no credit for these gifts of nature. We do deserve praise when we have built upon them. We need activity at home, and publicity away from home."

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Special to the Journal.
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